

MINUTES OF MEETING OF BOARD OF ELECTRICAL APPEALS

March 10, 2009 - 3:00 p.m.

OFFICE OF CENTRAL INSPECTION CITY HALL, 455 NORTH MAIN OCI CONFERENCE ROOM, 7th FLOOR

Chairman Roy Meinhardt called the meeting to order at 3:05 pm, with Board members, John Whittit, Dale Johnson, Harold Ragland, Shane Chapman and Secretary Tom Kerschen present. Also present were City attorney Sharon Dickgrafe and electrical inspectors Steve Schauner and Chris Nordick. Board members Dave Urban and Scott Alder were absent.

The minutes of the January 13, 2009 meeting were read. Board member Whittit made a motion the minutes be approved as written, it was seconded by Board member Ragland and approved.

The recent examination results from Prometric for electrical examinations administered by their office for City of Wichita approved applicants were presented to the Board. The results were as follows:

APPLICANT NAME	APPLICANT NUMBER	EXAMINATION CLASSIFICATION	EXAMINATION RESULT
Jerry Havlik Jr	2637	Master	Passed
Gregory Damlo	7613	Master	Passed
Donald Case	3793	Master	Failed
Ross Daniels	8779	Master	Failed
Stephen Carlson	5618	Journeyman	Failed
Kenton Dicks	2263	Journeyman	Failed
Matthew Hill	6072	Res. Wireman	Failed

Two (2) Master Electrician, six (6) Journeyman Electrician, one (1) Residential Wireman and one (1) Elevator Electrical applications were reviewed for approval to be administered the appropriate examination for certification. The results were as follows:

NAME	NUMBER	CLASSIFICATION	ACTION
Patrick Stephan	2771	Master	Approved
Patrick Jarnagin	8140	Master	Approved
Donald Purvis	3418	Journeyman	Approved
John Cushenbery	7168	Journeyman	Approved
Nicholas Cordt	1979	Journeyman	Approved
Juan Vazquez	5510	Journeyman	Approved
Fred Green	6703	Journeyman	Approved
Anthony Durkee	6266	Journeyman	Approved
Randy Cavanaugh	3026	Res. Wireman	Approved
Pete Seidel	5902	Elevator Electric	Approved

Under part A of the new business section of the agenda, Secretary Kerschen handed the Board members a copy of the changes to swimming pool bonding as it appears in the 2008 National Electrical Code (NEC). Secretary Kerschen requested the Board to look over the possibility to setting a standard for the bonding of all types of pools to attempt to simplify the requirements. The Board discussed in detail the NEC requirements and voted unanimously to keep the requirements as written in the NEC. Secretary Kerschen pointed out that this would require an additional inspection to enforce both the structural bonding of the pool and the perimeter bonding around the pool. Secretary Kerschen said he would get with staff to make the changes needed to add the inspection for perimeter bonding to the list of required inspections on pool permits.

With no other business to conduct, Board member Ragland made a motion to adjourn. Board member Chapman seconded the motion and the meeting adjourned.

The time was 4:12 pm.

Tom Kerschen, Secretary,
Board of Electrical Appeals